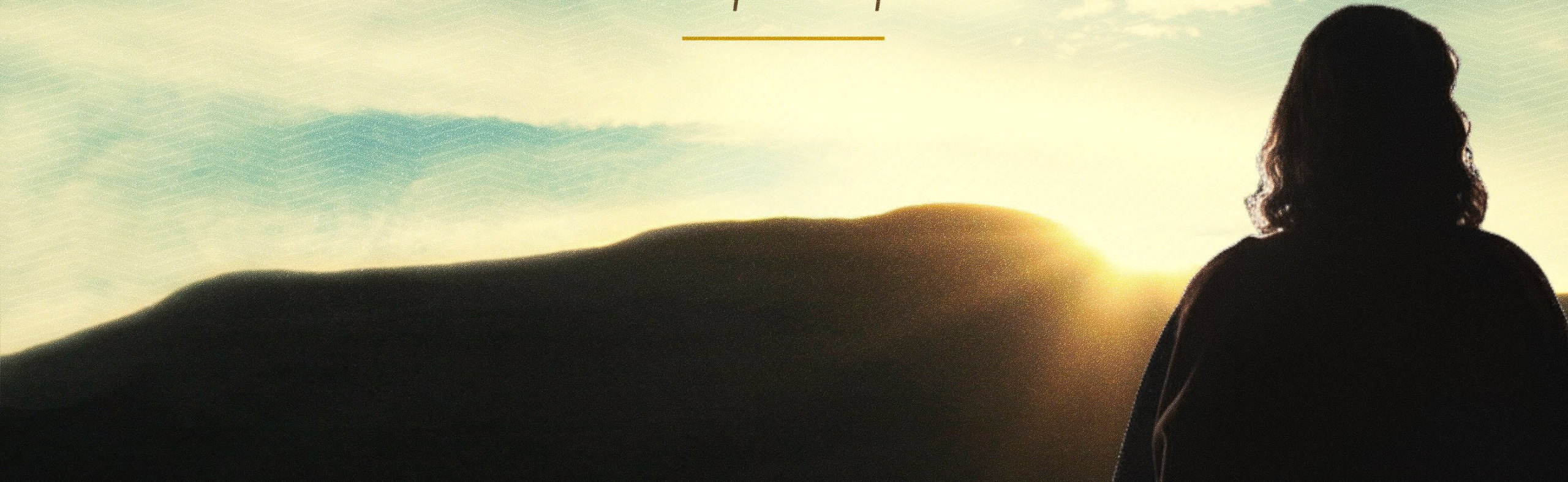


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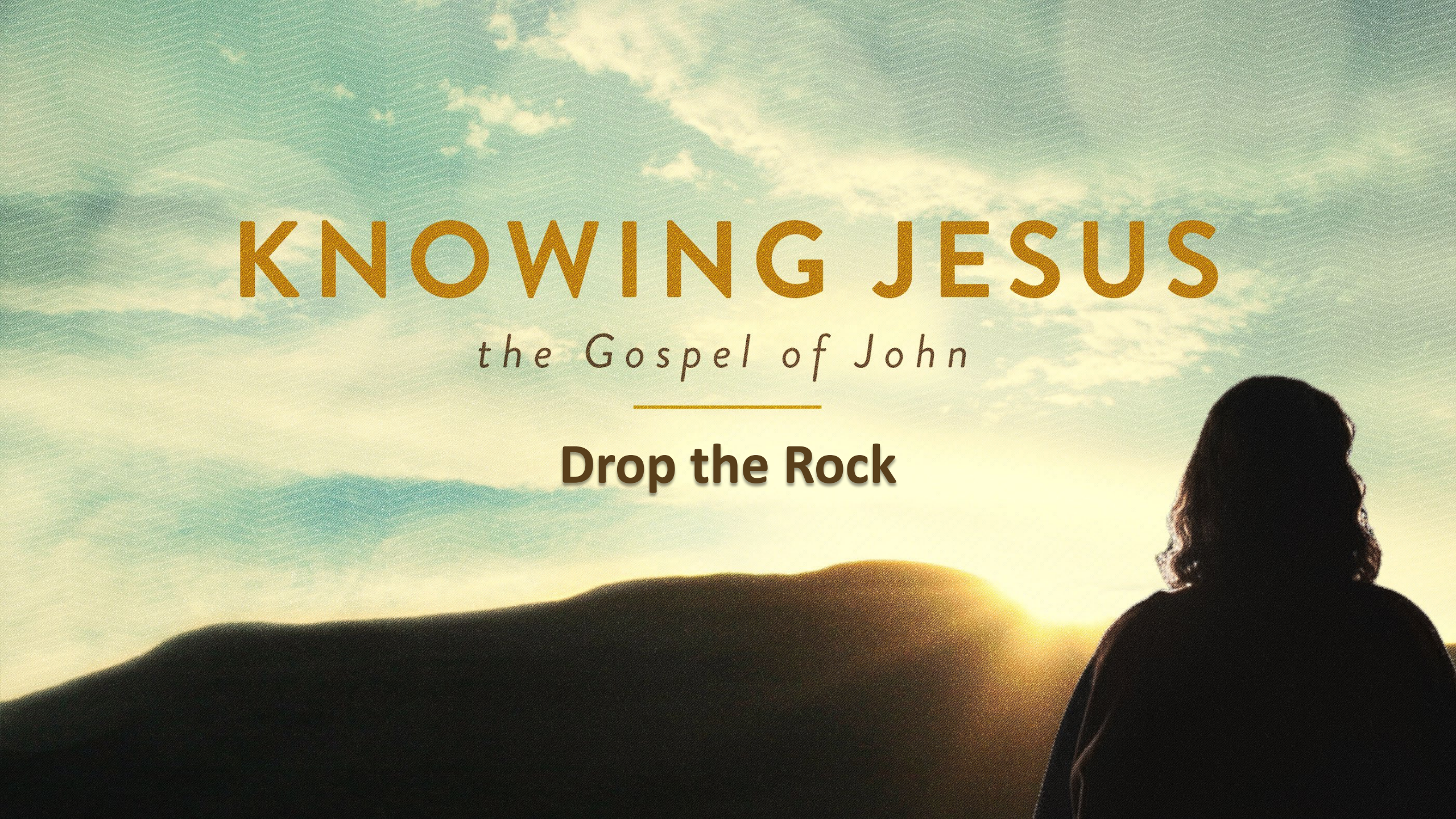
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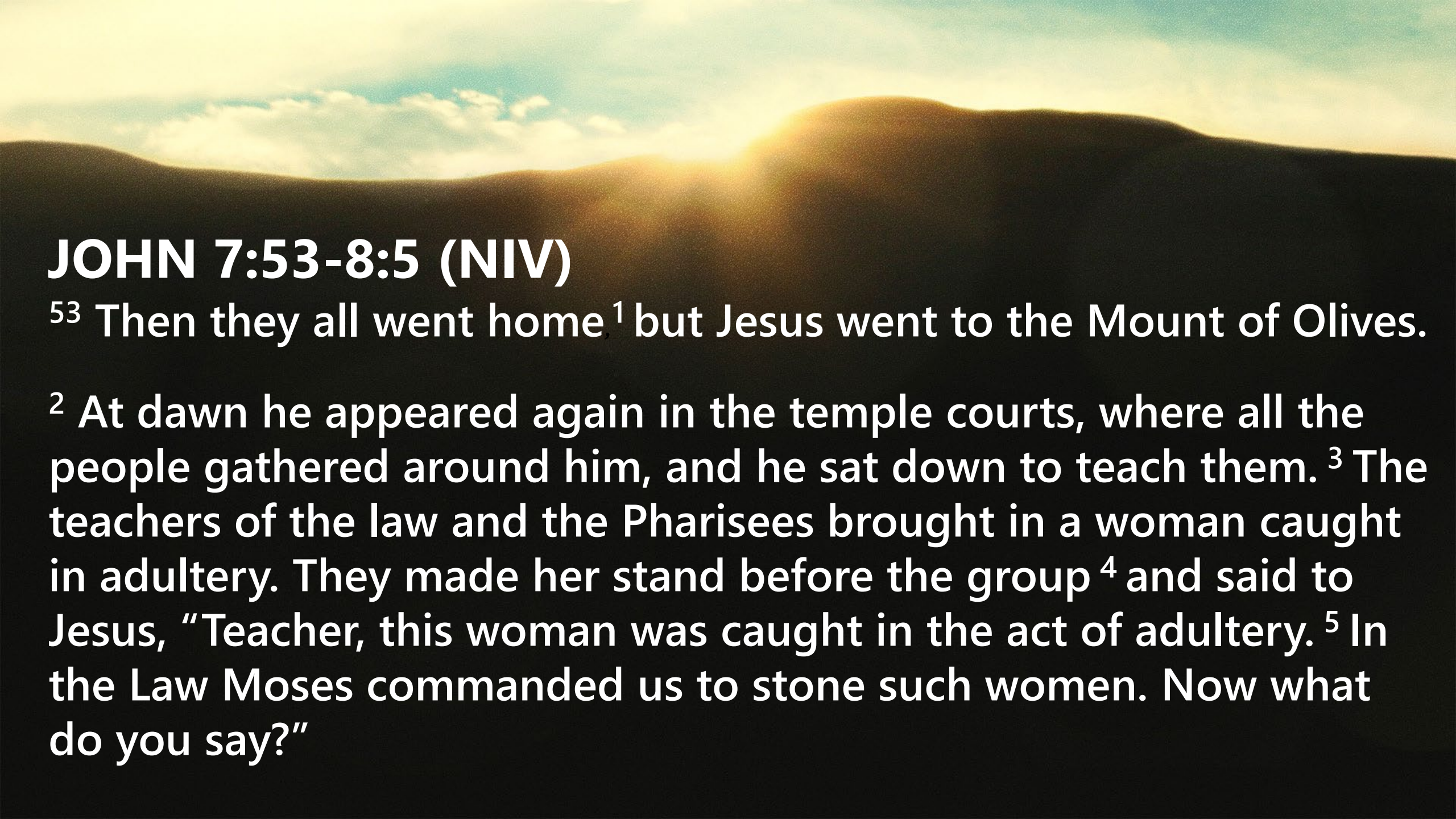


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JOHN 7:53-8:5 (NIV)

⁵³ Then they all went home,¹ but Jesus went to the Mount of Olives.

² At dawn he appeared again in the temple courts, where all the people gathered around him, and he sat down to teach them. ³ The teachers of the law and the Pharisees brought in a woman caught in adultery. They made her stand before the group ⁴ and said to Jesus, "Teacher, this woman was caught in the act of adultery. ⁵ In the Law Moses commanded us to stone such women. Now what do you say?"

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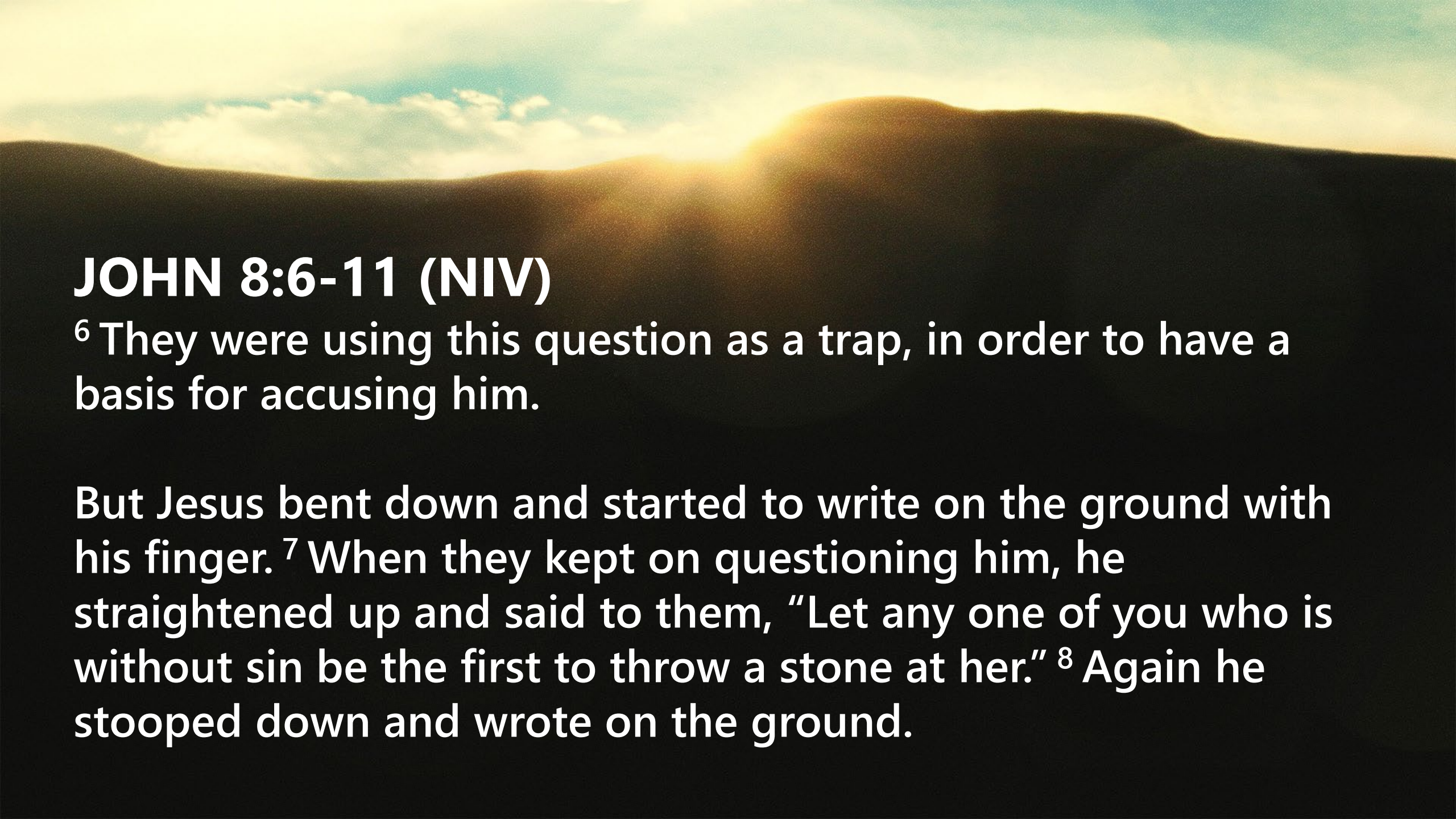
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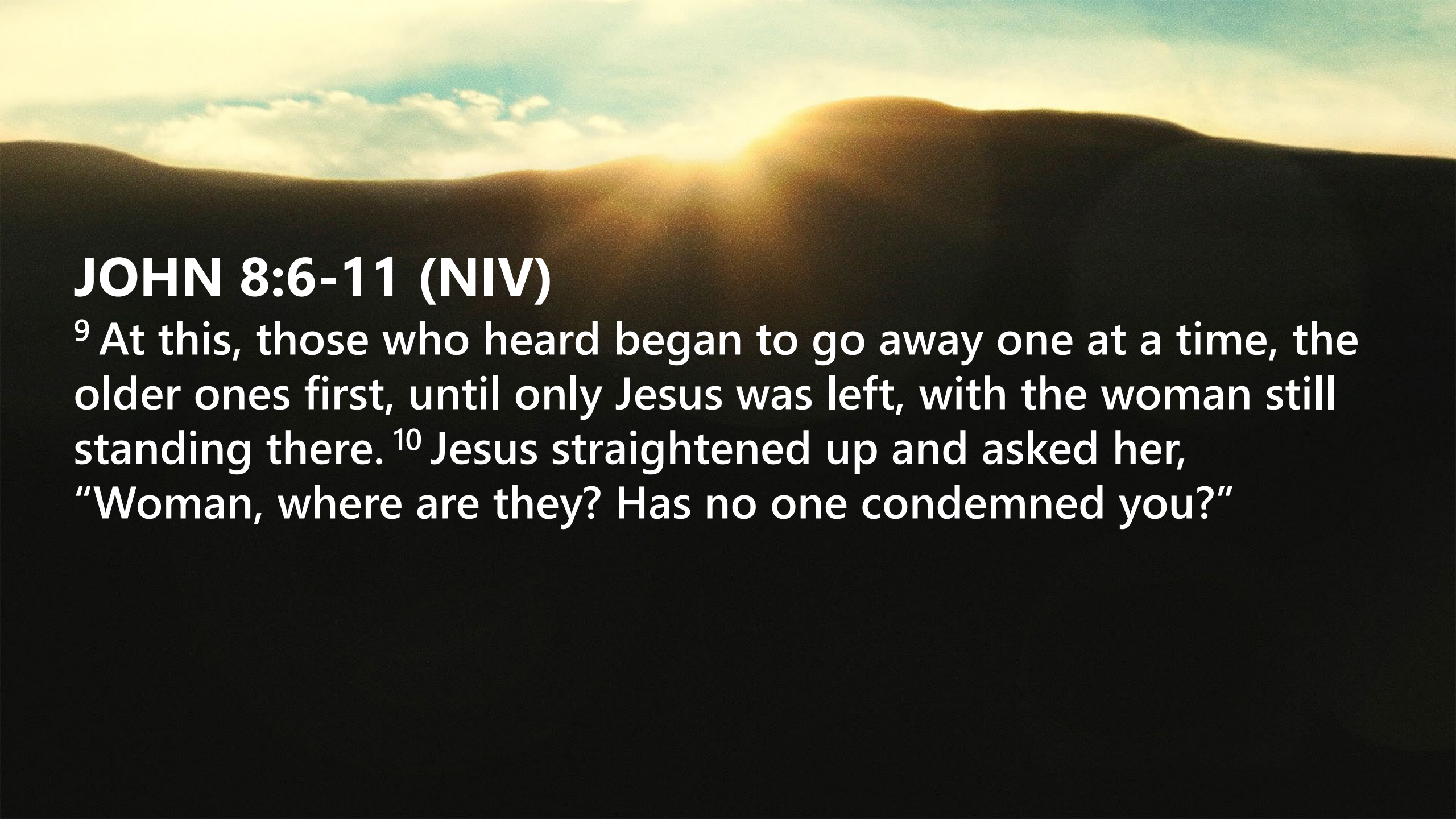
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JOHN 8:6-11 (NIV)

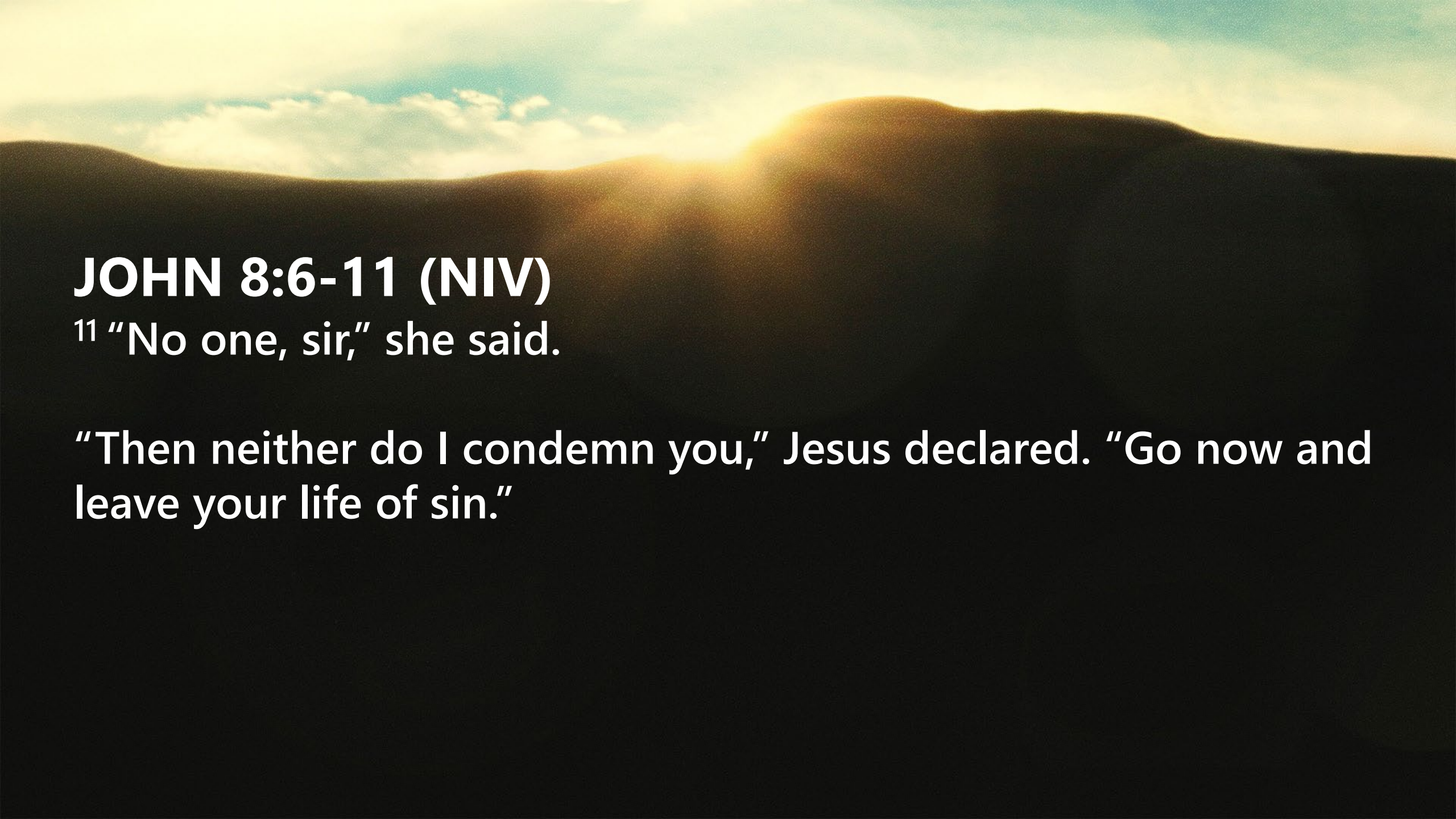
⁶ They were using this question as a trap, in order to have a basis for accusing him.

But Jesus bent down and started to write on the ground with his finger. ⁷ When they kept on questioning him, he straightened up and said to them, "Let any one of you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." ⁸ Again he stooped down and wrote on the ground.

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JOHN 8:6-11 (NIV)

⁹ At this, those who heard began to go away one at a time, the older ones first, until only Jesus was left, with the woman still standing there. ¹⁰ Jesus straightened up and asked her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?"



JOHN 8:6-11 (NIV)

¹¹ "No one, sir," she said.

"Then neither do I condemn you," Jesus declared. "Go now and leave your life of sin."

REMEMBERING TO DO WHAT IS RIGHT



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PHILIPPIANS 4:8 (NIV)

Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy—think about such things.

REMEMBERING TO DO WHAT IS RIGHT

- Practice



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JESUS FORGIVES



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1 JOHN 1:9 (NIV)

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

JESUS FORGIVES

- Confess



JESUS FORGIVES

- Confess
- Receive



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- Confess
- Receive
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JESUS LOVES US NO MATTER WHAT



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JOHN 3:16 (NIV)

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

JESUS LOVES US NO MATTER WHAT

- Belief



JESUS LOVES US NO MATTER WHAT

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PEOPLE CAN BE JUDGEY



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MATTHEW 7:1-5 (NIV)

¹ “Do not judge, or you too will be judged. ² For in the same way you judge others, you will be judged, and with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.

PEOPLE CAN BE JUDGEY

MATTHEW 7:1-5 (NIV)

³ "Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother's eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye? ⁴ How can you say to your brother, 'Let me take the speck out of your eye,' when all the time there is a plank in your own eye? ⁵ You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye.

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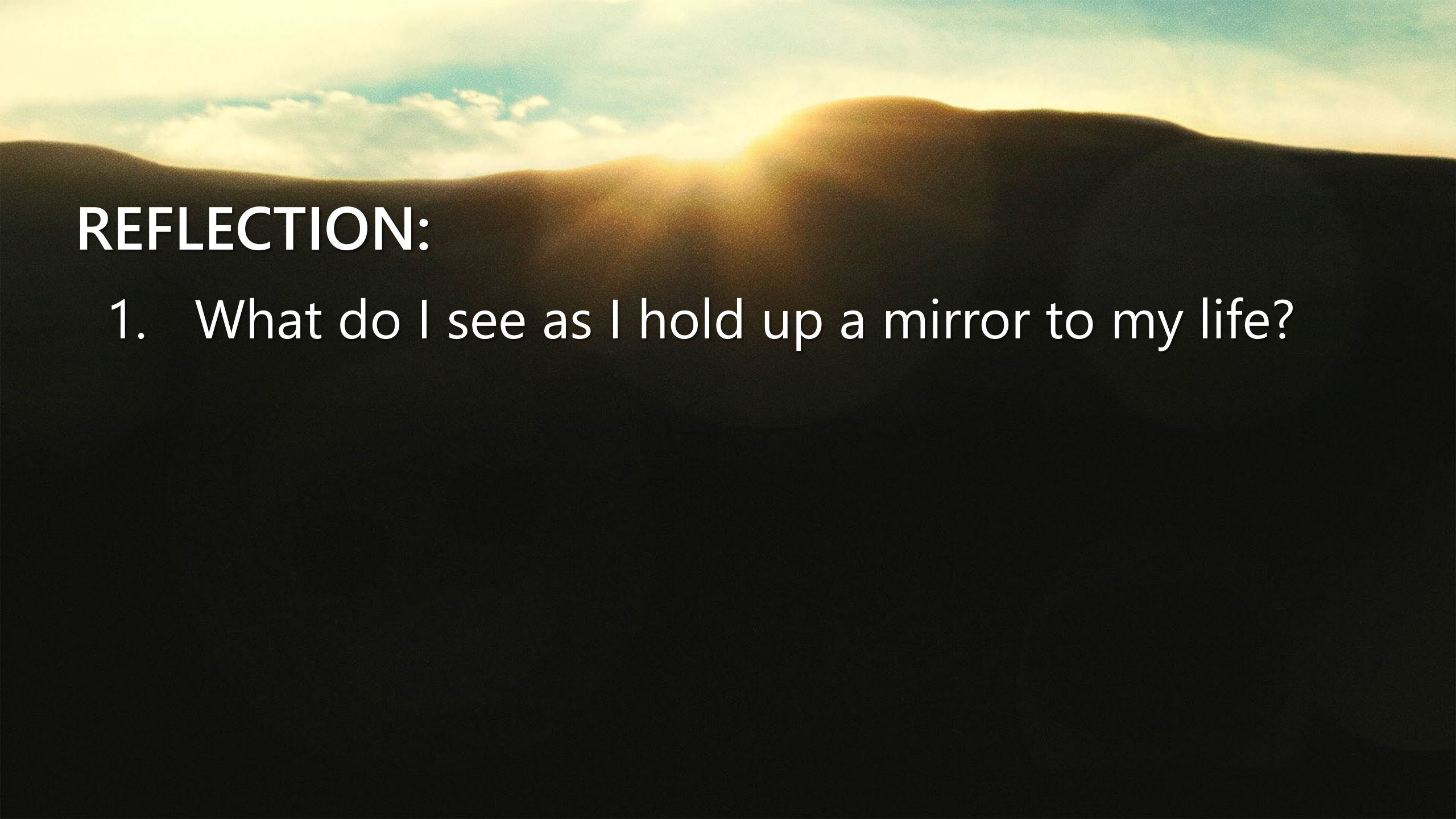
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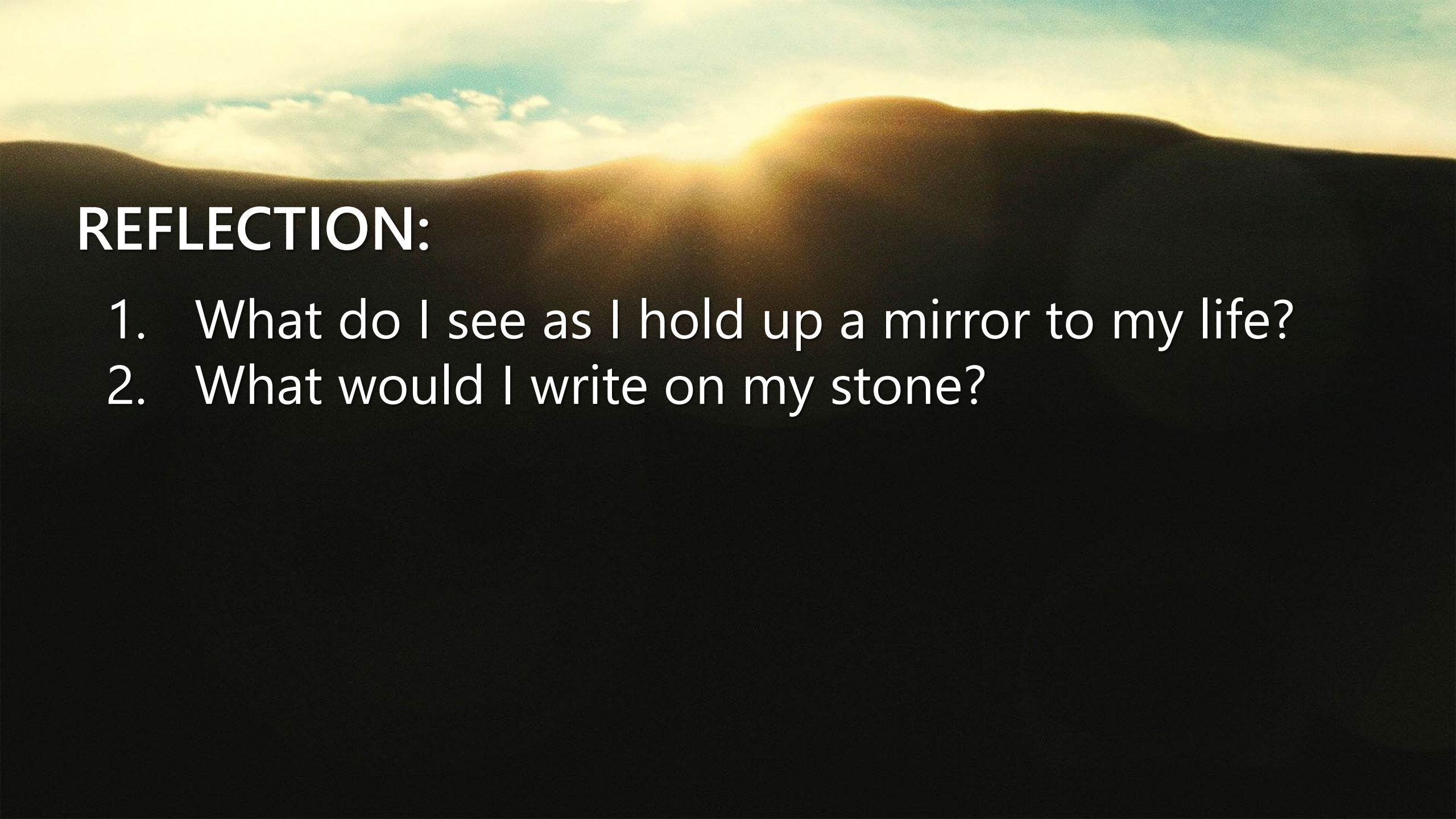
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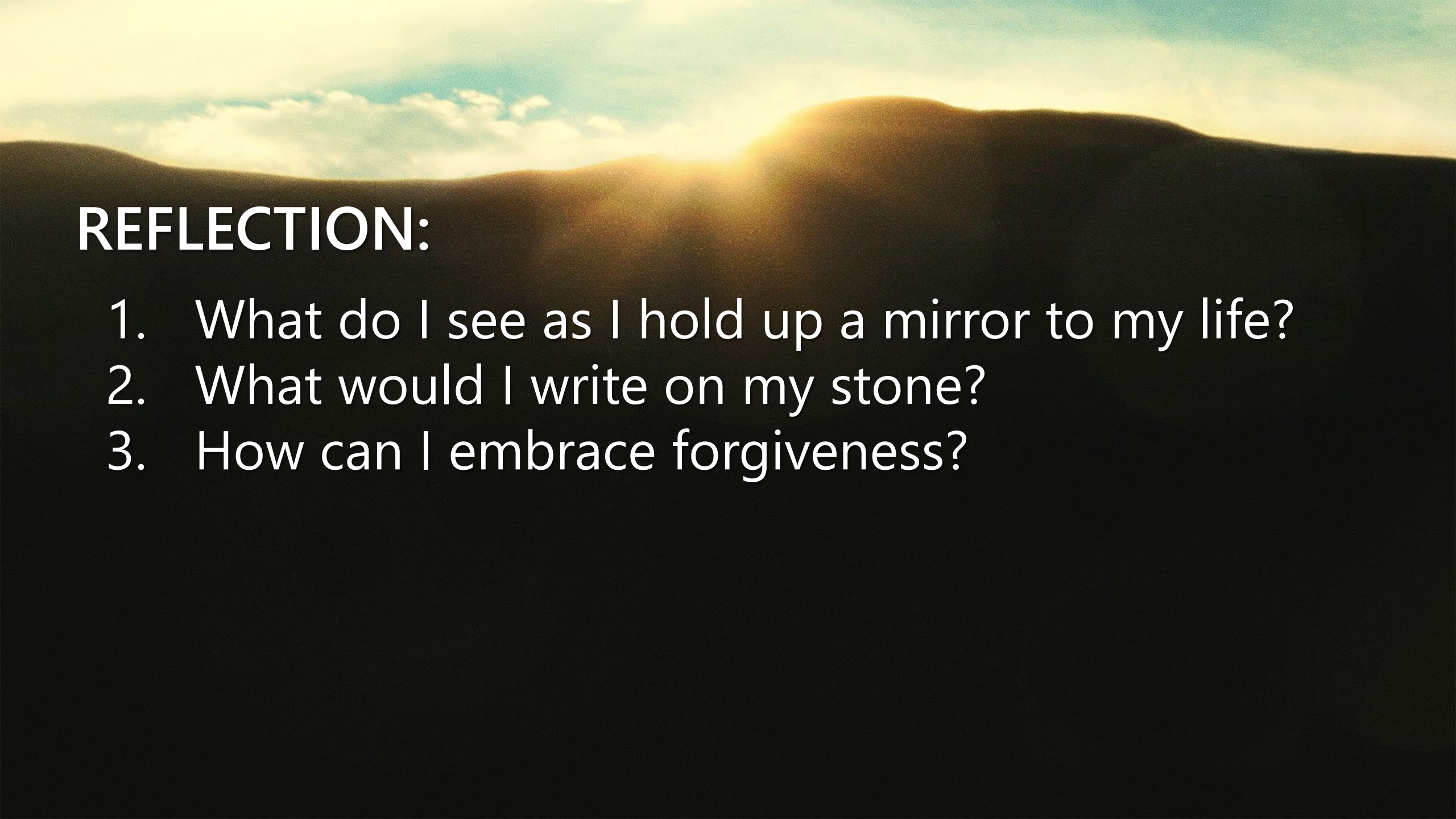
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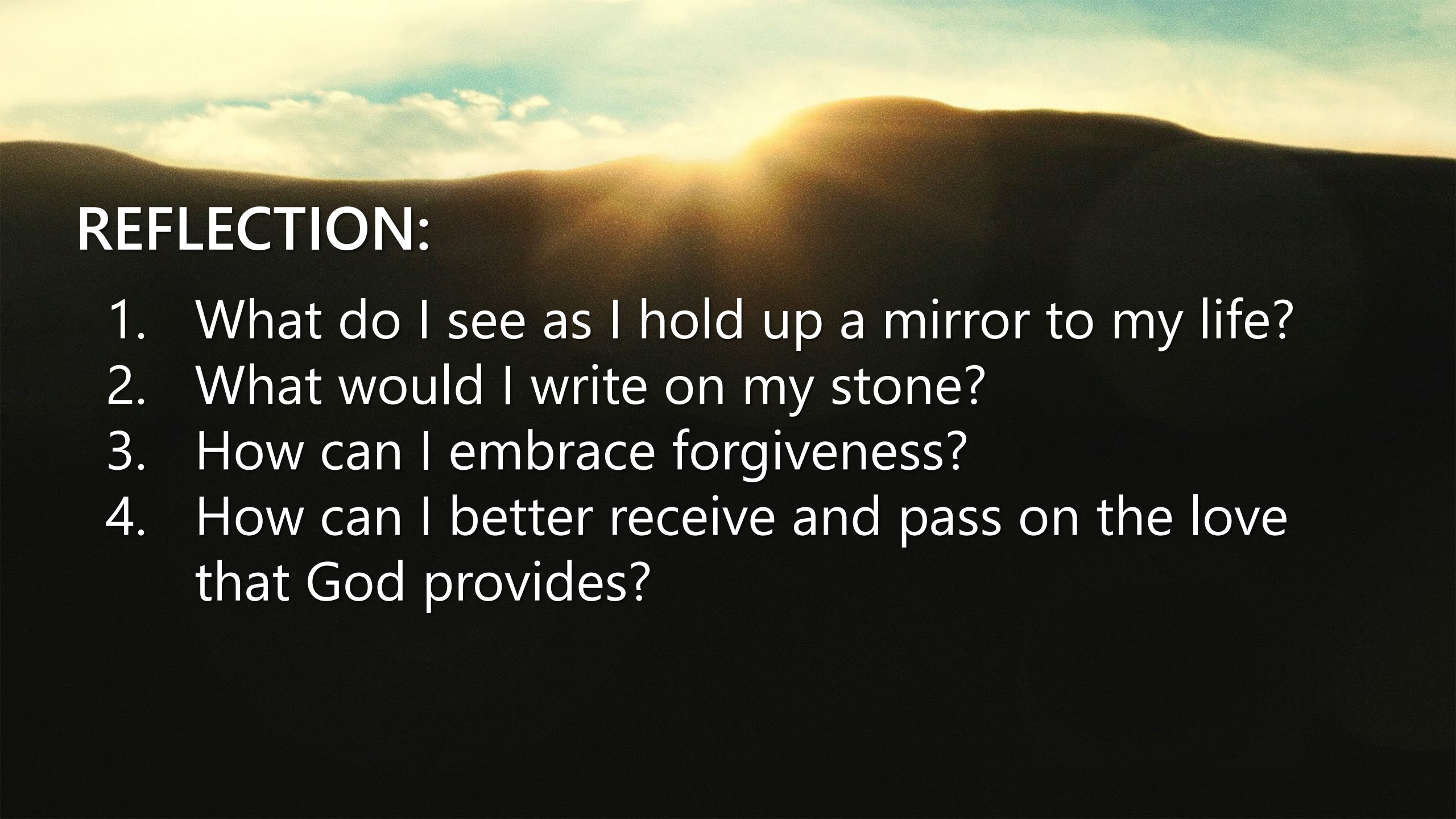
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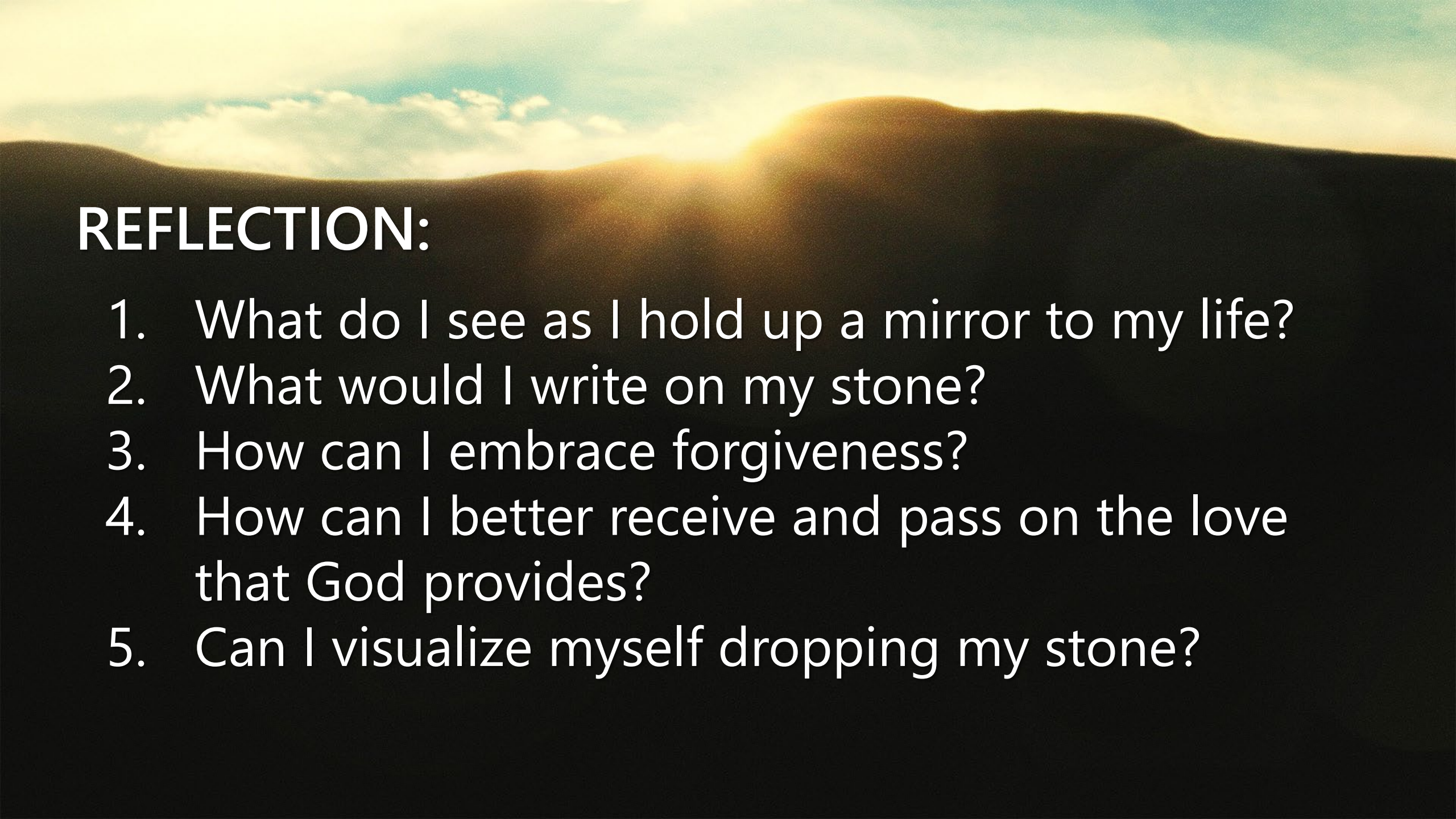
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5. Can I visualize myself dropping my stone?





